representation to see that their progress, achievements and activities are also exhibited outside Mysore State through these films ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—Our opinion is that the Government of India is equally anxious to do their best for Mysore.

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಟಿ. ಕೆಂಪರಾಜ್.—ಮುಖ್ಯ ಮಂತ್ರಿಗಳ ಪಾದಯಾತ್ರೆ ಫಿಲಂ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಂಡು ಮಿಕ್ಕ ಮಂತ್ರಿಗಳ ಫಿಲಂ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಳ್ಳದೆ ಇರುವುದು ಬಹಳ ಅನ್ಯಾಯವಲ್ಲವೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಹನುಮಂತಯ್ಯ.—ಆ ರೀತಿ ವ್ಯಾಜ್ಯ ತಂದು ಹಾಕಬಾರದು.

Sri A. V. NARASIMHA REDDY.—Is it not desirable to insist upon the Central Government to take out these films in the regional language and subsequently send it to public ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—I do not think films have any linguistic colour.

Sri A. V. NARASIMHA REDDY.—With a view to make available information to the public, is it not worthwhile to have those films giving the background in the regional language being shown in the State ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—Since the Government of India have to cater to several linguistic regions, I feel that they give respective linguistic information also in the respective languages.

Sri A. V. NARASIMHA REDDY.—Has it come to the notice of the Government that only Hindi news films are shown in the State of Mysore ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—It is the national language. There is nothing wrong in that.

Sri A. V. NARASIMHA REDDY.—Instead of that, is it not worthwhile to insist upon the Government of India to ask them to make films in Kannada which is the common language of the region and show them in these areas ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—I note the suggestion.

ಶ್ರೀ ಪಿ. ಆರ್. ರಾಮಯ್ಯ.—ಹಿಂದೆ ಭಾರತ ಸರ್ಕಾರದವರು ಏನೇನು ಚಿತ್ರಗಳನ್ನು ಮೈಸೂರು ಸಂಸ್ಥಾನದಲ್ಲಿ ತೆಗೆದಿದ್ದಾರೋ ಅದಕ್ಕೆ ಏನಾದರೂ ರಿಕಾರ್ಡು ನಿಮ್ಮ ಹತ್ತಿರ ಇದೆಯೇ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎ. ಜಿ. ರಾಮಚಂದ್ರರಾವ್.—ವಿಚಾರ ಮಾಡುತ್ತೇನೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಪಿ. ಆರ್. ರಾಮಯ್ಯ.—ಈಗ ನಮ್ಮ ಮೈಸೂರು ಸಂಸ್ಥಾನದಲ್ಲಿ ಅನೇಕ ದೊಡ್ಡ ದೊಡ್ಡ ಕೈಗಾರಿಕೆಗಳು ಮತ್ತು ನೀರಾವರಿ ಕೆಲಸಗಳು, ಲಕ್ಕವಳ್ಳಿ ಪ್ರಾಜೆಕ್ಟ್, ಭದ್ರಾವತಿ ಐರ್ನ್ ವರ್ಕ್ಸ್ ಮತ್ತು ಇಂತಹ ದೊಡ್ಡ ದೊಡ್ಡ ಕೆಲಸಗಳು ನಡೆಯುವುದರಿಂದ ಭಾರತ ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಫಿಲಂ ಡಿವಿಜನವರು ಫಿಲಂಸ್ ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಂಡು ಇಂಡಿಯಾದಲ್ಲಿ ಪ್ರಚಾರ ಮಾಡುವ ಹಾಗೆ ಏನಾದರೂ ಏರ್ಪಾಡು ಮಾಡಿದ್ದೀರಾ ?

Mr. SPEAKER.—That does not arise.

Scheduled Appointments (fixation of minimum wages).

Q.—494. Sri D. VENKATESH (Gandhinagar).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether they are aware that section 5 of the Minimum Wages Act contemplates the appointment of committees to hold enquiries and advise the Government in respect of fixation of minimum wages in scheduled employments under the Act ;

(*b*) if so, whether they have appointed any committee ; what are their numbers and in respect of what industries they have been appointed ;

(*c*) if they have not appointed, what is the reason for not appointing such committees ?

A.—Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO (Minister for Law and Education).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) A Committee was constituted in Government Notification No. L.S. 4281—L.W. 167-50-31, dated 10th November 1952 to hold enquiries and to advise the Government in fixing the Minimum Wages in respect of employment in Part II (Agriculture) of the schedule to the Minimum Wages Act, 1948 and the minimum rates of wages for employments in Agriculture were fixed on the advice of the above Committee in Notification No. L.S. 6026—L.W. 128-53-2, dated 29th December 1953 (Copies of Notification are placed on the Table, Copies placed in the Legislature Library *Vide* To. 35—L.A. dated 30th November 1955).

(*c*) Does not arise in view of the answer to (*a*).

Sri D. VENKATESH.—Is it not a fact that there are four scheduled employments under Schedule I of the Act ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—Yes.

Sri D. VENKATESH.—May I know whether the Government have appointed any Committee as contemplated under Section 5 to enquire into those employments ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—I will enquire.

Sri D. VENKATESH.—Will the Government be pleased to consider the feasibility of revising the wages as contemplated under Section 5 of the Act ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—We will consider.

Wage Advisory Committee for Agarbathi.

Q.—496. Sri D. VENKATESH (Gandhinagar).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

whether they will take immediate steps to constitute Wage Advisory Committee for Agarbathi ?

A.—Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO (Minister for Law and Education).—

The question of constitution of Wage Advisory Committee comes only after the employments are included under the Schedule to the Minimum Wages Act and after the Minimum Wages are fixed for them.

These employments have not so far been included in the Schedule.

Sri D. VENKATESH.—Will the Government examine the question of including Employments in Agarbathi industries, small scale industries like carpentry in the Schedule so that the labour employed therein might get the benefit of the Act ?

A.—Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—The Government are considering whether a Committee should be appointed to go into this question.

Court of Enquiry for Silk Industry.

Q.—497. Sri D. VENKATESH (Gandhinagar).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

the reasons for setting up the Court of Enquiry for Silk Industry ?

A.—Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO (Minister for Law and Education).—

The Court of Enquiry, Silk Industry, was appointed to enquire into the following matters connected with certain Industrial Disputes in the Industry, *viz.*,—

1. To enquire into the existing conditions of service and well-being of workers in this Industry in Bangalore particularly with reference to wages, dearness allowance, leave facilities, holidays, allowances, security of service, etc.

2. To suggest ways and means to improve their conditions of service and well being having regard to the financial position of the Industry.

3. To enquire into the existing Industrial relation between the employers and employees and to suggest measures to improve them with a view to securing lasting industrial peace in this sector and to avoid industrial dispute.

4. To consider and report any other cognate matters bearing on the above issues.

Sri D. VENKATESH.—Has it come to the notice of the Government that some of the recommendations made by the Silk Enquiry Committee are retrograde in character ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—That has not come to my notice.

Sri D. VENKATESH.—Will the Government at least see that Tripartite Conference is convened with a view to study this Report of the Court of Enquiry and to find ways and means to remove the discontentment that has arisen on account of this Report ?

Sri A. G. RAMACHANDRA RAO.—I have already informed the Hon'ble Member in private that the Government are considering the question of